



**UNITED STATES  
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**VIA EMAIL: [73657-05033459@requests.muckrock.com](mailto:73657-05033459@requests.muckrock.com)**

**Re: DNFSB FOIA Request FY 19-14 (May 30, 2019)**

Dear Ms. Best:

This is in response to your May 30, 2019, Freedom of Information Act request number FY 19-14 to the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board (DNFSB) that was forwarded to us by letter dated September 11, 2019; and received by our office on September 30, 2019.

DNFSB found one document in their records that originated with the U.S. Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board (NWTRB). Upon review, we believe the document is responsive to your request and may be released in its entirety to you. Accordingly, you will find the document attached to this letter.

NWTRB is an independent Federal agency in the executive branch of the U.S. Government. Its mission is to perform unbiased and independent technical and scientific peer review of the U.S. Department of Energy's program for managing and disposing of high-level radioactive waste and spent nuclear fuel. The Board reports its findings and recommendations to Congress and the Secretary of Energy.

You have the right to appeal this response. An appeal must be received by Mr. Nigel Mote within 30 calendar days of the date of this letter. The appeal letter, email, or fax may include as much or as little related information as you wish, as long as it clearly identifies the determination that you are appealing and includes the assigned request number. For prompt handling, please mark your appeal "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

If you have questions, please feel free to contact Davonya Barnes, FOIA Officer, or me, at (703) 235-4473.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Neysa M. Slater-Chandler". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Neysa M. Slater-Chandler  
Director of Administration

Attachments

cc: Paul Wilson, FOIA Public Liaison, DNFSB